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SUBJ: RETURN OF U.S. FIRMS

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1. CHILEAN STEEL COMPANY (CAP) OFFICIALS TOLD EMBOFFS THAT ARMCO (U.S.) HAD DECIDED TO TAKE BACK THAT PORTION OF ITS OWNERSHIP IN ARMCO (CHILE) WHICH CAP HAD ACQUIRED BY AGREEMENT IN MAY 1971. ARMCO (U.S.) AS RESULT WILL HOLD APPROXIMATELY 55 PERCENT OF ARMCO (CHILE) WITH CAP HOLDING REMAINDER. NO PAYMENTS INVOLVED AS CAP HAD NOT YET STARTED MAKING THEM. CAP SAID IT UNDER ORDERS FROM GOC TO DIVEST ITSELF OF ITS REMAINING HOLDINGS IN ARMCO (CHILE), AND ONE CHILEAN FIRM IS INTERESTED BUT WANTS MAJORITY CONTROL. AGREEMENT BETWEEN ARMCO (U.S.) AND CAP, HOWEVER, AT ARMCO (U.S.) INSISTENCE STIPULATES THAT EITHER IT OR CAP WILL ALWAYS CONTROL THE COMPANY. BY EMBASSY COUNT, ARMCO IS SIXTEENTH U.S. FIRM TO RECOVER ITS ASSETS IN CHILE.
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